Barley Cornbread

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Ingredients

1 cup barley flour

1 cup cornmeal

1/4 cup sugar

½ teaspoon baking soda

1/4 teaspoon salt (optional)

5 tablespoons melted butter (salted or unsalted)

2 large eggs

1 cup buttermilk

Equipment

- 2- to 3-quart mixing bowl
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- 8x8 inch baking dish (or 12cup muffin tin)
- measuring spoons
- measuring cups
- wooden spoon
- non-stick cooking spray, butter or oil for greasing pan

Method

- 1. Preheat oven to 375°F.
- 2. Grease 8x8-inch baking dish or muffin tin with nonstick cooking spray, butter or vegetable oil.
- 3. Mix barley flour, cornmeal, sugar, baking soda and salt together in a 2- to 3-quart mixing bowl. Set aside.
- 4. Beat together buttermilk, eggs and melted butter in 2-quart mixing bowl.
- 5. Pour wet ingredients into dry ingredients and stir until just combined.
- 6. Pour batter into baking dish and spread evenly.
- 7. Place in oven and bake 30 minutes or until done (until toothpick inserted into the center comes out clean and bread has pulled away from sides of the pan).
- 8. Remove from oven and serve hot.

Makes about 12 2x2½-inch pieces



• To cut costs, purchase commeal in the bulk section of the grocery store. Not only is it less expensive than prepackaged cornmeal, the bulk products allow you to buy only the amount necessary.

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- Use powdered buttermilk. It is less expensive than fresh buttermilk and has a longer shelf life.
- If there is no buttermilk on hand, use 1 cup regular milk plus 1 tablespoon of lemon juice or vinegar.
- Try using coarse ground cornmeal.
- Try replacing the cornmeal and barley flour with 11/4 cups cornmeal and 34 cup barley flour.



Nutrition Facts

Serving Size (55g): 1 piece Servings Per Container: 12

Amount Per Serving	9	
Calories 140	Calories	from Fat 50
		% Daily Value
Total Fat 6g		9%
Saturated Fat 3g		15%
Trans Fat 0g		
Cholesterol 45mg		15%
Sodium 120mg		5%
Total Carbohydrate 19g		6%
Dietary Fiber 1g		4%
Sugars 5g		
Protein 3g		

Vitamin A 4% Vitamin C 0% Calcium 4% Iron 4%

*Percent Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie diet. Your daily values may be higher or lower depending on your calorie needs 2,000 Calories: Saturated Fat Less than 25g Cholesterol 300 ma 2,400mg Total Carbohydrate 375a

Calories per gram: Fat 9 • Carbohydrate 4 • Protein 4

Total Cost: \$1.90 Cost per serving: \$0.16

*Cost is based on lowest available price in Fairbanks, Alaska in 2010. Sale prices are not included in the assessed prices for each ingredient. Cost is based on quantity of the ingredient used in this recipe.





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